

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 8 999 18TH STREET - SUITE 500 DENVER, CO 80202-2466



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CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Public Service Company of Colorado c/o New Century Energies 550 15th St., Suite 1000 Denver, CO 80202 Attn: Arlen Siert

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Under Section 114(c) of the Act (42 U.S.C. Section 7414(c)), and pursuant to regulations at 40 C.F.R. § 2.301, you are entitled to show that any information that you provide to EPA involves trade secrets and is regarded as confidential business information and request that such information be treated as confidential. Any such claim for confidentiality must conform to the requirements of 40 C.F.R. § 2.203(b).

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If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. Robert Vick of my staff at (303) 312-6204.

Sincerely,

Martin Hestmark, Director Technical Enforcement Program

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I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this document and all attachments and that, based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine or imprisonment.

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(Signature)	_		-	_ ·
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QUERY DEFINITION:

- 1. NAME OF CONTRACTOR equal to "PUBLIC SERVICE CO"
- 2. DATE REMOVAL STARTED greater than or equal to "08/01/1996"
- 3. DATE REMOVAL ENDED greater than or equal to "08/01/1996"
- 4. QUANTITY RACM FROM PIPES greater than or equal to 260
- 5. QUANTITY RACM SURFACE AREA greater than or equal to 160
- 6. QUANTITY RACM OFF FAC. COMP greater than or equal to 35

GROUPING EXPRESSION: 1 AND (2 OR 3) AND (4 OR 5 OR 6)

This query has produced 2 records out of a total of 1970 PARTY records (0.1%).

REMOVAL START DATE	REMOVAL AMOUNT STOP DATE PIPES RACM	AMOUNT SA RACM	AMOUNT FC RACM	SITE NAME	SITE ADDRESS	SITE CITY	PERMIT NUMBER	CONTRACTOR NAME
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03/04/1998	03/06/1998 5/18/98	210	C	TELEPHONE BLDG.	305 SOUTH HOLLY	DENVER	98DE1259N	PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLO



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Assistant Regional Administrator

Office of Enforcement, Compliance and

Environmental Justice

Enclosure (1)

	number.	I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee): 1. Addressee's Address 2. Restricted Delivery Consult postmaster for fee.
3. Article Addressed to: ATTN: ARIEN SIERT PUB SVC CO OF COLORADO C/O NEW CENTURY ENERGIES 550 15TH ST STE 1000 DENVER CO 80202	4a. Article N 4b. Service Registere Express Return Re 7. Date of De	P 380 306 671 Type ed Certified Mail Insured ceipt for Merchandise COD
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